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Taluk.	Hobli.	Village.	Description of property. Land. Survey No.	Dry, wet, garden or coffee.	Area.	Assessment.	Trees, wells, &c., approximate particular.	Place, date and hour of sale.	By whom the sale is to be conducted.	Upset price, if any, and other remarks.
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Belur.	Tagare.	Hosahalli Ammenagudi kaval.	27	Dry	5 26	4 0 0	Underwood.	On the spot on May 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 of 1898.	Amildar of Belur taluk.	Nil.
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			31	Do	5 24	6 0 0				
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			33	Do	5 35	6 0 0				
			36	Do	5 10	5 0 0				
			37	Do	5 30	5 8 0				
			38	Do	6 0	6 8 0				
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			40	Do	5 17	5 8 0				
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			44	Do	4 10	4 0 0				
			45	Do	4 36	4 8 0				
			46	Do	6 34	7 0 0				
			47	Do	7 0	0 8 0				
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			52	Do	6 20	6 8 0				
			53	Do	5 10	6 0 0				
			54	Do	6-34	6 8 0				
			55	Do	5 16	5 0 0				
			56	Do	5 27	5 0 0				
			58	Do	5 0	4 8 0				
			59	Do	5 0	4 8 0				
			60	Do	6 26	6 0 0				
			61	Do	5 12	6 0 0				
			62	Do	6 0	6 8 0				
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B. G. KRISHNAIENGAR, *Dy. Comr.*

Proceedings of a meeting of the District Fund Board of the Hassan Circle convened at Hassan on Monday the 31st January 1898.

PRESENT.

Mr. B. G. Krishnaiengar, President.

Ex-Officio Members.

Mr. A. S. Nagavkar, Executive Engineer.
Mr. J. W. Knight, Senior Assistant Commissioner.
Mr. T. Parammasiva Iyer, General Assistant Commissioner.
Mr. P. F. Bowring, Assistant Commissioner, Manjarabad.
Mr. B. D. Raghavendra Rao, Assistant Surgeon.
Mr. P. Nanjunda Naidu, Amildar of Hassan.
Mr. B. Kesaviengar, Amildar of Channarayapatna.
Mr. B. Shankraiah, Amildar of Arkalgud.
Mr. M. Lakshmana Sastri, Amildar of Arsikere.
Mr. H. S. Venkatachar, Acting Amildar of Belur.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. J. G. H. Crawford of Ubban Estate.
Mr. Venkatesiah of Banawar.
Mr. Venkataramiah of Konanur.
Mr. Venkatasubbiah, Inamdar.
Mr. Rama Sastri of Channarayapatna.

ABSENT.

Ex-Officio Members.

Mr. M. Gulam Mohadeen, Amildar of Manjarabad.
Mr. P. Subbarayalu Naidu, Amildar of Holé-Narsipur.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. Kalasapur Thammaiya, coffee planter, Belur.
Mr. Mohamed Gouse Sab, coffee planter, Saklespur.

Note.—The Deputy Amildar of Alur was also present.

I. Read statement showing receipts and disbursements under District Funds from July to the end of September 1897.

Resolution.—Passed and recorded.

II. Read petition from Nallulli Nirvanigauda, dated 8th January 1898, stating that a musafir-khana or chattram at Sukravarsante constructed by him at a cost of about Rs. 2,000 may be taken over and maintained by Government subject to his supervision.

Resolved that the plan and an estimate of the cost of building be obtained and Nirvanigauda asked whether he is prepared to make over the building unconditionally to Government having the same called after his name.

III. Read Senior Surgeon's docket No. 1610, dated 17th November last, forwarding petition from certain inhabitants of Yeslur praying that a widwife may be appointed for Yeslur.

Resolved that as the midwives at Saklespur and Arkalgud could conveniently take up the duties, the appointment of a separate midwife for Yeslur may for the present be post-poned.

IV. Read Holé-Narsipur Amildar's report No. 96, dated 20th instant, bringing to notice the necessity for raising the pay of the sweeper attached to the 3rd class travellers' bangalo at Holé-Narsipur.

Resolved that the recommendation of the Amildar to increase the pay of the sweeper at Holé-Narsipur from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6 be sanctioned. Further that in the case of all 3rd class bangalos where only one is employed both as sweeper and care-taker on Rs. 5, his pay be increased to Rs. 6.

V. The usual budget estimates for 1898-99 were placed before the Board and explained as follows :—

RECEIPTS.

(*a*) *Seventy-six per cent of local cess creditable to the District Funds.*—The estimate under this head is based upon the jamabandi figures of 1896-97.

(*b*) The estimate under the head "Private contributions" represents the contributions expected towards the cost of well and other works.

(*c*) *Adjustment of advances made on account of impounded cattle.*—As a sum of Rs. 1,500 is expected to be adjusted during 1898-99, this amount has been shown under this head.

(*d*) The estimates under the remaining heads which are of a fluctuating character are based upon the actuals of 1896-97.

(*e*) As in all probability a sum of not more than Rs. 1,20,934 is expected to be spent, even though the supplemental budget submitted with this office No. 681, dated 7th January 1898, is sanctioned, the opening balance for 1898-99 is estimated at Rs. 46,689 taking into account the actual balance on 1st July 1897 intimated by the Comptroller (*i.e.*, Rs. 91,308). Thus the total income including the opening balance for 1898-99 is Rs. 1,22,184.

Resolution.—The estimates be passed.

VI. *Expenditure.*—The budget estimates of Public Works received from the Executive Engineer were then read to the Board.

(*a*) *Original works.*—Out of the seven works entered in the statement, five are those in progress and the rest have already been approved by the Board.

The total estimate under this head is Rs. 27,000 including Rs. 3,000 under "Reserve."

Resolved that as funds are not available the provision under "Reserve" be reduced to Rs. 1,500 and that the remaining estimates be passed.

(*b*) *Repairs.*—As per statement received from the Executive Engineer the provision under this head is Rs. 40,000 enhanced mileage allotments have been entered by the Executive Engineer for Dudda-Arsikere and Hassan-Tiptur roads owing to heavy traffic on them agreeably to Board's Resolutions Nos. 5 and 13, dated 15th April 1896 and 26th June 1897 respectively.

Resolved that for want of sufficiency of funds, the provision under "Reserve" be reduced from Rs. 5,919 to Rs. 3,919 and that the total estimate for Rs. 38,000 be passed. Further that the provision under "Establishment and tools and plant" be also curtailed proportionately to the sums under "Original works and repairs."

VII. PUBLIC WORKS TO BE EXECUTED BY THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(*a*) *Original works.*—The President informed the Board as only a sum of Rs. 500 is expected to be spent on each of the marginally noted musafirkhanas for which there is provision in the current year's budget, provision has been made in the next year's budget for completing the same and that a sum of Rs. 500 has been entered under "Reserve for minor works."

Musafirkhana at Lakkunda.
Do at Kenchammana-Hoskote.
Do at Javagal.

Mr. J. G. H. Crawford said that there was no necessity for a musafirkhana at Lakkunda and that it might be omitted from the list.

Mr. Paramasiva Iyer, General Assistant Commissioner, proposed that the construction of a musafirkhana at Chikmallenahalli midway between Holé-Narsipur and Hassan on the Yelwal-Hassan road was very desirable.

Resolved that a musafirkhana at Chikmallenahalli be constructed instead of the one at Lakkunda and that a sum of Rs. 1,500 be provided therefor. The provision made for the remaining works is passed.

(*b*) *Repairs*—For want of funds a sum of Rs. 4,000 has been provided under this head against Rs. 5,500 in the current year's budget.

Resolution.—Passed.

(*c*) The provision under "Establishment and tools and plant" was also accepted by the Board.

VIII. The statement of Civil charges was placed before the Board and explained as follows :—

(1) *Office Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 105 has been provided for contingencies of the District and Taluk offices in accordance with Government Proceedings No. 1319-28—L. F. 108-95, dated 23rd July 1897.

(2) *Medical Scholarships.*—A sum of Rs. 784 has been provided under this head against Rs. 310 in the current year's budget as per Proceedings of Government since received. The provision under this head includes also the scholarships to be given to two men proposed to be sent from March next for training in the Indigenous Hospital at Mysore. *Vide* Government Proceedings No. 5901-3—L. F. 944-76, dated 24th September 1897.

(3) *Hospital and Dispensaries.*—As no intimation has since been received from the Senior Surgeon as to the pay of compounders, last year's figures have been repeated. Provision has been made for the pay of the waterman attached to the dispensary at Belur at Rs. 3 per mensem instead of Rs. 2 as provided in the current year's budget. *Vide* Government Proceedings No. 1134-6—L. F. 227-93, dated 7th February 1896. Hence there is an increase of Rs. 8 over the provision of the current year.

(4) *Sweepers for 3rd class Travellers' Bangalos and Musafirkhanas.*—The pay of the sweeper of the bangalo at Holé-Narsipur has been raised from Rs. 5 to 6. *Vide* Resolution IV *supra.*

Provision has been made for the pay of the sweepers attached to the lodges at Halebid and Sukravarsante as the Board have resolved to recognise these buildings as 3rd class travellers' bangalos.

(5) As vessels are not yet supplied to the musafirkhanas at Channarayapatna, Holé-Narsipur, Hettur and Dudda, a sum of Rs. 140 has been entered for supplying the same.

(6) *Conservancy and Sanitary Charges*—Owing to insufficiency of funds, only a sum of Rs. 3,000 has been provided for sanitation of rural parts against Rs. 4,000 in the current year's budget.

As the Amildars say that one sweeper sanctioned for each of the marginally noted places is not sufficient, provision has been made for two sweepers for each of those places.

Yeslur. | Baswapatna.
Ramanathpur. | Kerlapur.
Rudrapatna.

Provision has also been made for a sweeper on Rs. 5 for Gorur as per proposal of the Amildar,

(7) *Miscellaneous.*—Under the head "Advances" to be paid to pound-keepers on account of feeding cattle" a sum of Rs. 1,500 has been entered agreeably to the provision made under "Receipts" for adjusting the same. The other items are all usual ones.

Resolution.—Passed.

IX. The President informed the Board that the closing balance falls short of 25 per cent of the estimated receipts, but a saving of more than Rs. 10,000 is expected at the close of the year in the budget grant.

X. As there are several villages in the district where the introduction of a municipality is not practicable owing to the unwillingness of some of the inhabitants, it is proposed that the Board provide such places with additional sweepers according to the requirements of each and that as this will involve considerable additional expenditure which the present condition of the funds is not able to meet, it is proposed that Government may be moved to grant half the mohatarfa of such villages where more than one sweeper is employed to meet the additional proposed expenditure.

B. G. KRISHNAIENGAR, *President.*